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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Appln. No.: 10/786,334                          Group Art Unit: 2811

Filed: February 26, 2004                          Examiner: C. Nguyen

For: A SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICE HAVING A  
DUMMY CONDUCTIVE FILM AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE  
SAME (AS AMENDED)

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 22, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated below.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.